This act shall take effect and be SECTION 3. in force from and after its passage and publication.

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CHAPTER 314.

AN ACT to protect the policy holders in mutual fire insurance companies.

The people of the state of Wisconsin, represented in senate and assembly, do enact as follows:

SECTION 1. The directors of a mutual corpor- Directors of ation shall be personally liable for all miums due and levied on policies written upon risks in any other state or foreign country, in which the corporation has not been duly and legally admitted and licensed, and wherein such policies have been written in violation of the laws of any such other state or foreign country.

pre-pre-rations person-ally liable.

SECTION 2. It shall be the duty of mutual fire Notice of as-insurance corporations, licensed to transact busi-transmitted ness under the laws of this state, to immediately to the commissioner of notify the commissioner of insurance of all as-insurance. sessments levied and called by said corporation. and accompany such notice with a statement of the condition of the corporation, setting forth particularly the facts showing the necessity of such assessment; and no mutual fire insurance corporation organized under the laws of another state and licensed to transact business in this state, shall be authorized to increase the amount of an assessment, or levy additional as-

sessment, on policy holders in this state, by reason of its inability to collect assessments from policy holders in states in which the corporation was not authorized, and wherein such policies have been written in violation of the laws of such state. Provided, that this act shall not apply to church mutual insurance companies or societies.

SECTION 3. This act shall take effect and be in force from and after its passage and publication.

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CHAPTER 315.

AN ACT relating to the Milwaukee house of correction.

The people of the state of Wisconsin, represented in senate and assembly, do enact as follows:

United States prisons.

SECTION 1. No person hereafter sentenced to prisoners not be admitted in imprisonment by any court of the United to Wisconsin States, where town of sentence shall exceed States, whose term of sentence shall exceed eighteen months, shall be received by the house of correction of Milwaukee county, the state prison at Waupun or any penal institution within this state.

SECTION 2. This act shall take effect and be in force from and after its passage and publication.

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